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CLOSED I-393 EXIT 1 WESTBOUND OFF-RAMP TO REOPEN MAY 24
EXIT 1 EASTBOUND ON-RAMP WILL REMAIN CLOSED UNTIL LATE FALL

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation announces the Interstate 393 westbound off-ramp at Exit 1 in Concord is scheduled to be reopened to traffic on Friday, May 24, 2002.

This ramp, which allows westbound access to Fort Eddy Road, was closed on April 15 as part of a project that includes the rehabilitation of the I-393 bridges over the Merrimack River and Fort Eddy Road.

The eastbound on-ramp at Exit 1 of I-393 was closed to traffic on April 3 and will remain closed until late this fall.

This project, which begins at the intersection of I-393 and North Main Street and ends approximately 1,300 feet west of Exit 2, includes the rehabilitation of seven bridges and pavement on Interstate 393 in Concord. Additional work includes improvements to drainage and high-mast lighting, and sign and guardrail replacement.

R.S. Audley, Inc. of Bow, New Hampshire is the general contractor for the \$6.1 million project, which has a final completion date of July 2003.